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In re U.S. Patent No.: 6,827,645 B2 )  
Inventors: Masamoto MORITA et al. )  
Issue Date.: December 7, 2004 )  
For: GAME PROCESSING APPARATUS, )  
GAME PROCESSING METHODS )  
AND RECORDING MEDIA )

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 254 and 37 C.F.R. 1.322, this is a request for the issuance of a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. Two (2) copies of PTO Form 1050 are appended. The complete Certificate of Correction involves one (1) page.

The mistakes identified in the attached form occurred through the fault of the Patent Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent. Issuance of the Certificate of Correction containing the correction is earnestly requested.

If it should be determined that any of the mistakes resulted from an error made in good faith by the applicants, then, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 255 and 37 C.F.R. 1.323, it is requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued correcting such mistake(s).

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Under such circumstances, it is requested that the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R.  
1.20(a) and any additional fees needed be charged to our Deposit Account No.  
06-0916, for which authorization is hereby given.

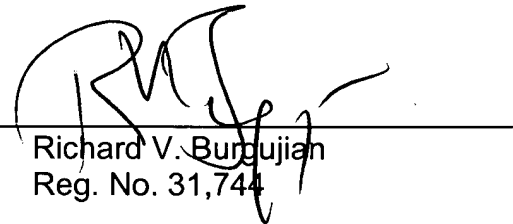
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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is hereby certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**In claim 1, column 22, line 24, “a operating” should read --an operating--.**

**In claim 1, column 22, line 45, “are” should read --area--.**

**In claim 4, column 23, line 19, “are” should read --area--.**

**In claim 4, column 23, line 38, “lock” should read --block--.**

**In claim 5, column 23, line 49, “locks” should read --blocks--.**

**In claim 7, column 24, line 27, “lock” should read --block--.**

**In claim 8, column 24, line 37, “players” should read --player’s--.**

**In claim 8, column 24, line 39, “locks” should read --blocks--.**

**In claim 8, column 24, line 42, “sign is” should read --signals--.**

**In claim 11, column 26, line 7, “locks” should read --blocks--.**

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